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- 1. The new maritime administrative decree, within the framework of the reorganization of the Yugoslav merchant marine, classifies navigation societies as "navigation societies for international transport" and "navigation societies for national transport." Societies which do not have large ships, or ships with a capacity of at least 150,000 tons gross tonnage, have had to transfer their ships to other societies. These edicts have caused malcontent, especially among the small societies.
- 2. Currently, in Split there is only one navigation society licensed for international transport, the well-known Jadranska Slobodna Plovidba - commonly known as "Jadroslobodna" - which has absorbed the ships of the Opca Plovidba (ex-Bager) (4 ships) and Brodospas (4 ships). This latter company was also ordered to transfer six ships to the Obalna Plovidba of Split; the company currently is engaged only in salvage, towing, and demolition of old vessels.
- 3. The new Jadroslobodna organization also acquired the equipment and some administrative personnel from the incorporated companies. In this way, the firm currently has more than 1,000 employees.

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